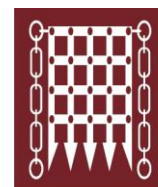


Westminster Business Forum policy conference
Priorities for supporting new businesses to start and scale up in the UK

Timing: Morning, Tuesday, 26th January 2021

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Agenda subject to change

- 8.30 Registration
- 9.00 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior parliamentarian
- 9.05 **Policy priorities for supporting new entrepreneurs and economic growth**
Paul Scully MP, Minister for Small Business, Consumers and Labour Markets, Department for Business, Energy & Industrial Strategy
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.40 Break
- 9.45 **What entrepreneurs want - how policymakers can support small business**
Emma Jones, Founder, Enterprise Nation
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.10 **Developing future entrepreneurs - education, mentoring, and wellbeing**
Dr Inge Hill, Director, Enterprise Educators UK; and Associate Head, Research, Enterprise and Knowledge Exchange, School of Business and Entrepreneurship, Royal Agriculture University
Julie Kapsalis, Chair, Coast to Capital Local Enterprise Partnership
Dina Grishin, Life & Career Coach, Dina Grishin Coaching
Senior representative, start up business
Senior representative FE college
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.10 **Chair's closing remarks**
Senior parliamentarian
- 11.15 Break
- 11.25 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior parliamentarian
- 11.30 **Access to finance and supporting diversity**
Alice Hu Wagner, Managing Director, Strategy, Economics and Business Development, British Business Bank
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.55 Break
- 12.00 **Tackling key challenges to starting and scaling up businesses in the UK - investment, business support, and mitigating the impact of the pandemic and transition from the EU**
Professor Ute Stephan, Professor of Entrepreneurship, King's College London
Juliet Rogan, Head of High Growth & Entrepreneurs, Barclays
Senior representative, legal
Senior commentator
Senior representative, scale-up business
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 **Chair's and Westminster Business Forum closing remarks**
Senior parliamentarian
Sean Cudmore, Deputy Editor, Westminster Business Forum